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Alaska National Parks Wildland Fire Information

Gates of the Arctic National Park and Preserve Yukon-Charley Rivers National Preserve

July 11, 2012 @ 2:00 pm

On July 8 the Pahl River fire spread from state land into the southwest area (bottom of the boot) of Gates of the Arctic NP. Visit http://www.nps.gov/applications/fire/wildland-fire/fires.cfm?postid=4734 for current fire information and an updated map.

Pahl River Fire - ref#178

- Started on 6/6/12
- Located 22 miles east of Kobuk and 114 miles west of Bettles
- 3750 acres
- Lightning-ignited
- It is burned 30 acres inside the park, the fire is smoldering and creeping.
- The fire will remain in monitor status.

More detailed information will be posted soon at http://www.nps.gov/gaar/parkmgmt/currentfireinfo.htm

Marie Creek Fire - ref #146

- Reported on 6/05/12
- Located 50 miles northwest of Eagle and 60 miles southeast of Circle
- 9.699 acres
- The fire has had no growth due to substantial moisture in the area.
- The fire will remain in monitor status

Visit http://www.nps.gov/applications/fire/wildland-fire/fires.cfm?postid=4694 and http://www.nps.gov/yuch/parkmgmt/currentfireinfo.htm for photos and fire information.

The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center reports 304 fires have burned 199,852 acres across Alaska to date. Visit http://fire.ak.blm.gov/ for statewide information.

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